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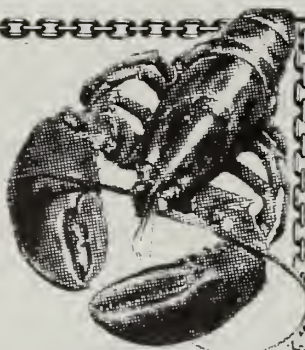


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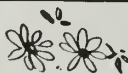
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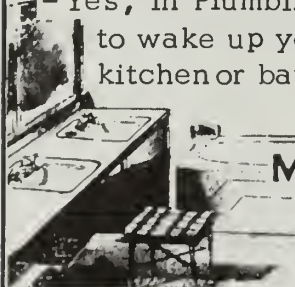
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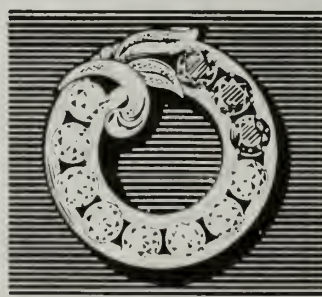
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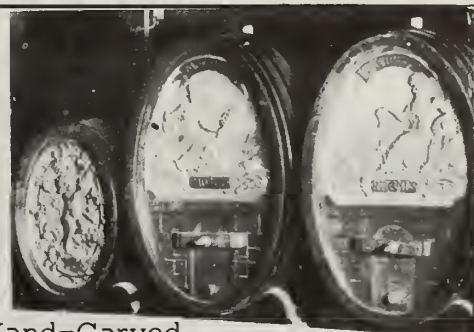
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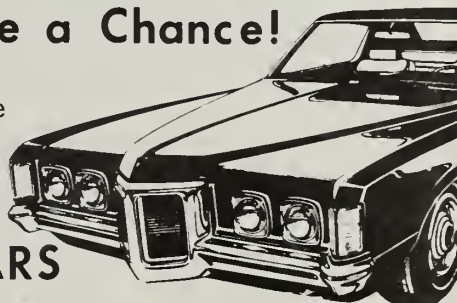
The "Tales" will be accompanied by a few treasures, notably one described as "The Murder Basket"; another, a child's brocaded bodice marked "Royal Household, Queen Victoria". Miss Walker will be assisted by Mrs. Frank A. Oxnard.

The "Treats" are century old but still usable recipes. They will be sampled from small souvenir folders, plus the needed ingredients by ambitious cooks. "The Old Parlor" is a room in Miss Walker's present home, and its date 1850, wall paper the original. It was built by her great grandfather. Some "Tales", however, relate to

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Miss Walker has written for publication and enjoyed some years in the professional theatre. She came from the famous "47 Workshop" of Radcliffe and Harvard. The

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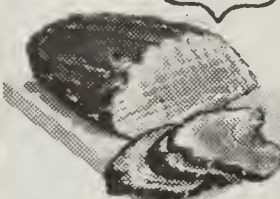
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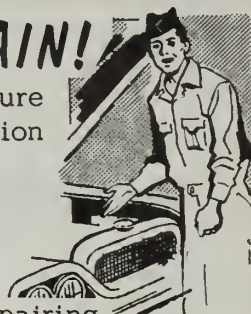
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her completion of her work at Radcliffe. That publication claimed a scoop on the piece she did about the playwright, Ernst Toller, whom she interviewed in London.

Reservations for the luncheon meeting at the Holiday Inn must be made by April 21st either by mail with Mrs. Albert Norlander, or personally with Mrs. Harold Luther, who is taking cash reservations.

## Gallery to Reopen

The opening of the 1969 season and the re-opening of the Marion Art Center's Cecil Clark Davis Gallery will be celebrated with an exciting exhibit of the Art Lending Service, which has been recently reorganized to improve the quality of the paintings and stimulate interest in the unique service. Paintings, drawings, prints, collages and sketches, framed for hanging and hours of quiet pleasure, are available for a small fee for two months. All paintings and other works that are for rent are also available for sale, with the rental fees accrued by the purchaser on a painting deducted from the sale price.

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Gallery hours are Tuesday through Saturday, 1 P.M. to 5 P.M., open to the public; the members and guests opening will be on Friday, April 18th, from 6 to 7:30 P.M., with cocktails to enjoy while viewing the excellent and exciting collection. Public viewing and selection for rental and/or purchase will begin at 1 P.M. on Saturday, April 19th.

## "Oliver!" Super Show

The performance of "Oliver!" by students of Old Rochester Regional High School was thoroughly enjoyable and as close to professional quality as can be attained on a high school stage. The addition of the orchestra to the production enhanced the musical tremendously. The scenery, designed, constructed and painted by the art depart-

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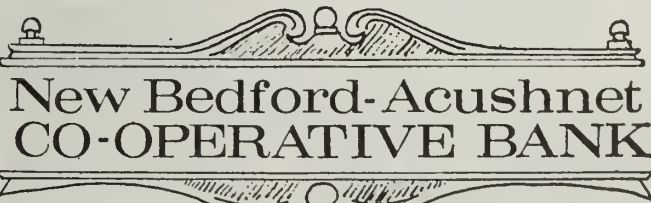
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ment under the supervision of Mr. Anthony Domingos, was so excellent, so realistic, that it gave the production a setting worthy of the performance.

Christine Glaeser played the title role of Oliver in a flawless performance with many high points. She sang "Where is Love" to set the poignant mood. She brightened the stage with "Consider Yourself" and hit the high point of the show with "I'd Do Anything", a delightful song and dance routine shared by the artful dodger, Linda Perry; Nancy, Christine Hayward; Bet, Ardith Bell; Fagin, James Lawrence; and the boys. Christine

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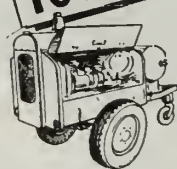
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Hayward, as Nancy, gave a remarkable performance. Her dancing was rollicking and her voice a treat. She sang "As Long as He Needs Me", one of the more memorable songs of the show, and danced and sang through the "Oom-Pah-Pah" sequence with zest and fine style. Linda Perry, as the artful dodger, sparkled in her role as Fagin's brightest pupil. She sang "Consider Yourself" and "I'd Do Anything". Fagin by James Lawrence was as enjoyable a rogue as you'll find. He had his finest spot in "Reviewing the Situation".

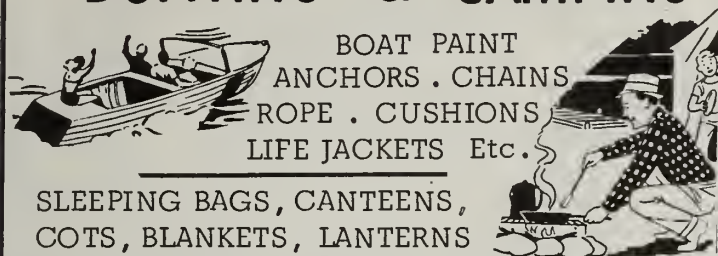
James Pagenkopf turned in a suitably chilling performance as the evil Bill Sikes. He sang "My Name" and joined Nancy, Fagin and the Artful Dodger in a reprise of "It's a Fine Life". Mr. Bumble, David Sullivan, and Mrs. Corney, Naomi Arenberg, as the Beadle and Work House Mistress, gave the audience many a laugh as they carried on a humor punctuated courtship in the workhouse.

The play is set in Charles Dickens' London. Oliver, a workhouse pauper, is sold to Mr. and Mrs. Sowerberry, the undertaker and his wife. He runs away and meets the artful dodger, a young pickpocket. Introduced into the den of Fagin, he is taught the trade but, on his first job he is caught. The man, who was the intended victim, takes Oliver home after he is beaten by police as he tried to escape. Oliver, recovered, is captured by the evil Bill Sikes. Nancy, trying to reunite him with his benefactor, is murdered by Bill Sikes. Oliver turns out to be the grandson of his benefactor with whom he is finally reunited at the end.

Others in the cast included Richard Helfand, Marice Cayton, Heather Lowe, Steven Charbonneau, Scott Atkinson, Elliot Farley, Kim Hartley, John Ross, Gail Roberts, Cheryl Nottage, Richard DeMello, Michael Mesarch and Steven Cadieux. Street singers were Tracey Locke, Marilyn Tinkham and Cheryl Nottage. Jeffrey Parker was the knife grinder.



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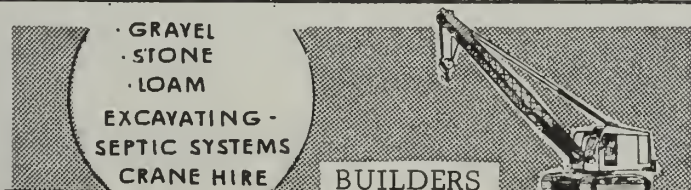
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The scenery consisted of a giant backdrop of London Bridge, the interior of Fagin's den and the workhouse. Each setting was extremely effective in establishing the mood and place, and deserves the highest appreciation. It reflects great credit on the Art Department.

Mr. Anthony Rego, director of the orchestra, and his musicians, lifted this production to a new level of enjoyment. It was hard to believe that so young a group could perform with such polished excellence. The addition of the orchestra added immeasurably to the quality of the show. "Oliver!" was the striking of a harmonious chord. The performers, their musical background and their setting - each complemented and enhanced the whole.

Members of the orchestra were Lucille Anastasi, violin; Curtis Macomber, Marilyn Furtado, violins; Susan Viola; Phoebe Taylor, cello; Susan Whalen, cello; Mr. Jarvis Medeiros, bass; Betsy Grover, flute; Lucinda Bell, clarinet; Christian Saether, bassoon; Timothy Riley, trombone; Mr. Gary Thomas,



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trombone; Kenneth Wilbur, trumpet; Peter Chace, trumpet; George Fisher, French horn; Michael King, percussion; and Paul Soares, percussion.

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Choreographer is Mrs. Nancy Lee Gaucher, a very talented and experienced professional.

## Letters to the Editor

As Wharfinger, a duly elected official of the Town of Mattapoisett, I strongly feel that an injustice has been done to the boat-owners of Mattapoisett as a result of the amended article in the town warrant concerning the rates established at the wharf.

The original article as entered in the warrant called for a suggested increase from \$10.00 to \$25.00 for skiff space and a suggested increase from \$1.50 to \$3.00 per foot for all boats over 16 feet.

These suggested rates would have provided enough funds over several years to allow many improvements to be made to our facilities.

The amended article reduced the skiff space fee from the suggested \$25.00 to \$15.00 and increased the suggested wharfage from \$3.00 to \$5.00 per foot.

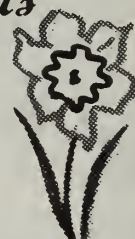
Based on 100 skiff spaces and approximately 600 feet of wharfage, most of which is space utilized by Mattapoisett boatowners, the

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amended and approved rates represent a \$1400.00 increase in income over that which would have been realized by the increase suggested by the Wharfinger.

I personally and officially feel that this is an unfair and unjustified burden for the boat-owners of Mattapoisett.

Robert A. Silveira  
Wharfinger

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR AND RESIDENTS OF MATTAPOISETT

My wife and I have been summer residents at Crescent Beach for thirty-one years. We love this place of peace fully as much as the residents do. We have, thru the years enjoyed all of the happenings, the band concerts, the square dances, the centennial and so forth.

We have had good relations with the business people of the town, and have made many friends.

We also feel to some degree that we have made, thru all these years, some contribution to the welfare and prosperity of the town.

Can you imagine therefore our dismay and grief when we came up here last week to work on my new cottage, and finding a Canadian Balsam tree which my wife and I so lovingly planted some years ago, and have watched it grow into a magnificent specimen, ruthlessly cut off five or six feet from the top to provide someone, we assume, with a Christmas tree. How our Lord must have wept at such a desecration of His birthday.

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We bear no malice or ill-will to the perpetrator of this deed, only pity.

We hope that if he reads this, he will pause and think of what he has done to the lives of two old people, and resolve never to do such a thing again.

Sincerely yours,  
Victor W. Charman

### GUILD MEETING

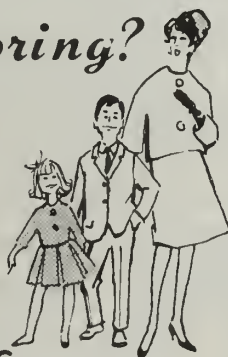
The Tobey Hospital Guild will meet at 2 P.M. on Thursday afternoon, April 24th, at the Nurses' Home in Wareham.

Dr. Dennis J. Sanidas, associate radiologist at Tobey Hospital, will be the speaker. His subject will be "Recent Advances in Radiology"

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## Our School Dilemma - Part V

MARION'S POSITION by William M.  
McLaughlin

For well over a year, Marion has been advocating a regional middle school. Very frequently the question is asked, "What's in it for Marion?" I'll agree that there are advantages for Marion, but there are also advantages for Mattapoisett and Rochester. So the battle begins; let the reader be the judge.

First, when we talk about classroom needs, we must talk three years in the future. This one stumbling block may explain why 40% of the state's public school students are on extended or double sessions. By the time towns react to their needs, it is too late, so they must go onto double sessions until the new school is built. We are two years overdue on solving the high school space problem in our own area. During the next three years, Mattapoisett will enroll 140 additional students, Marion 105, and Rochester 60. This constitutes 12 more classrooms than we now have. The region is growing at the rate of four classrooms per year. It has grown at this rate steadily; soon it will be five classrooms per year. Almost half of this growth comes from new homes built in Mattapoisett. Today, Mattapoisett has breathing room in its schools; by 1972, they will be overcrowded. Again, because of the time lag between authorization to build



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and having the school ready to receive students, 1972 is the year we must consider when we talk of school needs. We cannot react fast enough to provide for 1970 or 1971.

If the reader can accept the three year lag from Town Meeting action to pupils using the building, then he will probably also buy the idea that the building ought to be large enough to cover the next three years after opening. Otherwise a new building program might have to be started before the present one is completed. For this reason, a School Needs Study committee must project 1975 enrollments, must crystal-ball curriculum changes, must even attempt to envision the towns as they will be in 1980. What we are trying to do is to provide classroom space for children not yet born to families who have not yet moved to this region. This same problem exists in suburban areas throughout the state; most towns recognize that their population is increasing every year, but fail to recognize that school enrollments keep pace or even pull ahead of town growth.

I hope that I've adequately defined the problem. When the Marion Needs Committee started putting together facts and figures a year ago, we looked at needs for kindergarten through the 12th grade. The creation of a middle school, either local or regional, was a natural and obvious answer to the problem as we saw it. By the time a new



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school can be built, all three towns will be overcrowded at all grade levels. The regional high school and Marion elementary systems will probably be using temporary classrooms.

In a Special Town Meeting last September, the voters of Marion authorized a School Building Committee to initiate construction of a new school; in November, the State Board of Education said it would not approve any plan that was not part of the region's master plan. Again meetings started on a regional level to hammer out a master plan. Later this Spring, the Regional School Committee will request each town to review the master plan at Special Town Meetings. At the moment, it would appear that this plan will call for regionalizing down through the fifth grade and building a regional middle school. If this proposed master plan does not meet with voter approval, presumably each town will then go its own way.

"So what's wrong with that?", you may ask. One of the main advantages we saw in the middle school was the physical relocation of the 7th and 8th graders out of the high school environment. Many of us

feel that this is too great an age span, particularly at this stage in social development. Another consideration is the duplication of facilities which must be made if we have four separate building programs instead of one master plan. There is criticism now of the poor utilization given school buildings, yet if we each go our own way we'll have three separate principals, three nurses, three gymnasiums, three kitchens, three boiler rooms, and a long list of other "threes" where there might be just one. Obviously, the "three" route will be more expensive than one common building. Three small schools will cost more to operate too, even though they can't give the same quality or



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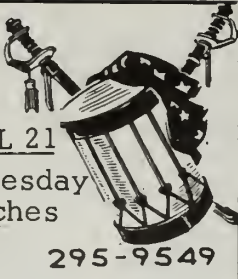
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quantity of education that the large school can.

Mr. Haley stated that, "the regionalization of our junior and senior high schools has resulted in a superior secondary system which was justified on an economic and educational basis." I submit that the same conditions hold true now for grades 5 and 6. Had we created separate junior and senior high schools, my argument would be weakened. He argues against full regionalization right down through kindergarten, and I will agree with him. At this point in time, we in the region have a choice of how we wish to go. Whatever building program is authorized will set the course for the future. We on the regional study committee agree that we're talking facilities for 1000 students, which is a major building program no matter which way we go. We all have different reactions to a new house being built in our area; the housewife sees new neighbors, the assessor sees new valuation; the store owner sees new business - I see another child in the school system. Between present overcrowding, the mandatory addition of kindergarten in 1973, and new construction, we jointly will need space - and teachers - for 1000 more children.

We are already paying for this need in our contributions to the region for leased classrooms. Each voter in each town will have the opportunity to choose the plan he prefers at Special Town Meetings. Those of us who have been wrestling with this problem at countless meetings during the past


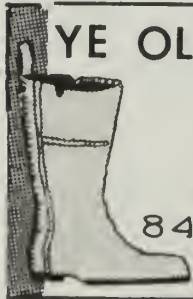
year are pretty well agreed that the regional middle school offers the best educational, economic, and social answer to our common problem. The common solution, the middle school, could save \$750,000 in construction costs and \$150,000 per year in operating costs over the local solutions. It removes the 7th and 8th grades from the high school atmosphere. It pools the educational resources in each town for grades 5 and 6 and upgrades the total offering. Yes, it benefits Marion, but it helps Rochester and Mattapoisett as well, and equally well.

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## New Basketball, Tennis Coach

Old Rochester Regional is pleased to announce the appointment of Rodger T. Twitchell, Jr. to the 1970 Head Basketball and Tennis posts vacated by the newly-appointed Administrative Assistant for Guidance Services and Personnel, Raymond J. Carvalho.

Mr. Twitchell comes to Old Rochester admirably equipped to direct the fortunes of the Bulldogs. In addition to his well-documented personal sports achievements, he has had extensive experience as Director and coach in the Amherst Recreational League. Mr. Twitchell graduated from the University of Massachusetts in 1965 after compiling a starry record yet to be equalled in University history. Jack Leaman, the University of Massachusetts basketball coach, reports

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that Rodger was the scoring champion of the Yankee Conference for two years, was elected to the First Team-All Yankee Conference each of his varsity years, and was admitted to the highly selective company of the All-New England Team in his Sophomore year. Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities contained Mr. Twitchell's exploits in 1962.

The Bulldog netmen will find Mr. Twitchell a well-qualified and experienced leader as well. The new coach brings the prestige of his New England Collegian Singles Championship to the Old Rochester courts next spring and the insights that his four years as varsity coach of tennis at Holyoke High School have provided. The 6'6" Mr. Twitchell is a native of Westfield, New Jersey who has transplanted to New England. He currently resides in Amherst with his wife, two year old daughter and 6 month old son. His four year teaching experience has been and is, currently, in the Holyoke Public Schools where he has been a Physical Education Instructor noted by his superiors for his resourcefulness, industry and contagious enthusiasm.

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## Rochester Historical Society

Rochester Historical Society members met recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jenkins, New Bedford Road. Mrs. Judy Gurney presided. Attending were Mr. Ralph Walker, Mr. and Mrs. William Deakin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Brown, Jr., Mrs. Olive Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gifford, Mrs. Clifton Vaughan, Mrs. David Enroth, Mrs. Donald Jenkins and Mrs. Richard Besse.

Mrs. Gurney displayed map plates for reproduction purposes, indicating names and locations of residences and highways in the years 1704 and 1854. Maps for 1754 are in process.

The Maurice Gifford's residence on Dexter Lane has been traced to have been built in 1722. Research on Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Vaughan's home on Rounseville Road reveals that two rooms around the central chimney were moved from off Vaughan Hill Road in an area known as the "Old Mullien Field" and verified to have been built in 1721.

Antiqued maps of 1704 and 1854 will be available for sale shortly from members of the Rochester Historical Society. Maps for 1754 and 1804 are in process. Grist mills, saw mills, homes, schools, ceme-

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teries, etc., are located on these maps.

The by-laws committee, Mrs. William Deakin, Mrs. Ralph Walker, Mrs. Richard Besse and Harry A. Brown, Jr. met at Mr. and Mrs. James Gurney's residence on April 9th.

## Banquet Closes Season

With the close of the basketball season the boys, coaches and referees are entitled to a loud cheer for a job well done. The final standings are as follows: Black Knights, 12 and 2; Red Raiders, 11 and 3; Purple Panthers, 10 and 4; Orangemen, 6 and 8; Blue Streaks, 2 and 12; and the Green Hornets, 1 and 13.

In the New Bedford tournament the Mattapoisett Pee Wee All Stars was a team made of the boys within the age limit, picked from the teams in the Mattapoisett league. They were W. Caswell, M. Du Pont, J. Meehan, P. Nelson, A. Davidson, J. Warren, M. Cooper, J. Hoff, J. Parry and B. Andrews. The tournament was a sudden death round robin with the All Stars winning 1 and losing the 2nd. The boys made a good showing and you can be proud of them.

The coaches' All Stars, void of an age limitation, are the following boys: A. Davidson, P. Nelson, W. Caswell, J. Meehan, M. Du Pont, T. Wood, S. O'Connor, J. Francoeur and A. Gustafson. These boys were picked because of their outstanding playing ability during the regular season play.

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honor of the boys who participated in this season's Little League Basketball program. It is hoped this will be an enjoyable evening for the boys and their parents. The menu will be a turkey dinner with all the fixings. The banquet will be held at the Congregational Church parish hall Monday, April 21st, (Patriots Day) at 6:30 P.M. Have you made your RESERVATIONS? If not, contact Mr. Caswell, Harbor Road, now!

## Pageant Ball

The Miss Wareham Scholarship Ball to be hosted by the sponsoring organization, Wareham Chamber of Commerce, will be held on the evening of May 25th at Eugene's Gold Room Middleboro.

Co-chairmen Mrs. Leo Lacasse and Donald R. Bliss have announced that the contestants will be introduced in the early evening. The present reigning Miss Wareham 1968, Donna Desjardins will be making one of her last public appearances before she crowns her successor on May 31, 1969 at the annual Miss Wareham Scholarship Pageant.

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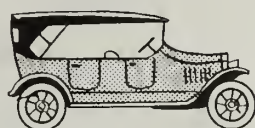
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and all of Cape Cod, it is hoped by the committee to have representatives from these areas competing for the honors of Miss Wareham.

The Miss Wareham Program Book is under the chairmanship of Mrs. Peter Anastasi, and her committee is comprised of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Simcock and Mrs. Edwin Ames. Other chairmen and their committees already actively working are chairman of the sponsors, Mrs. Richard Post; scholarships, John Ranney; patrons, John Coburn.

Keep in mind that any young lady interested in this program should contact Rita L. Blair, chairman, 295-1482, for further information.

### BEAN SUPPER

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The phfft-phfft of the windex spray bottle, the swish-swish of the dust cloth, the slurp-slurp of the furniture polish and the clatter of moving objects were made by Mrs. Robert Browne, Mrs. Harry Erhard, Mrs. Arthur Knox, Mrs. Richard Young, Mrs. Francis Rowland, Mrs. Robert Bennett and Mrs. Nelson Hiller in addition to the others mentioned in this article. All show cases were cleaned inside and out and the exhibits rearranged in them.

The mannequins were set up and dressed by Mrs. Clifford I. Tripp, Jr. Mrs. Milton Jenkins and Mrs. Clarence Fountain served a delicious luncheon prepared by them and Mrs. Thomas Earle, Mrs. Alden Kinney and Mrs. Frank Sylvia.

All the workers entered the competition for the prizes and after much deliberation they voted that the most unique dust cap was worn by Mrs. Richard Chase. It was a sky blue creation of ruffled lace in the shape of a bird's nest, complete with eggs and the mother bird, attached to a three foot twig. Second place was declared a tie between Miss Jessie Peacock and Mrs. Clifford I. Tripp.

Mrs. Edwin Perkins, Mrs. Earl Masterson and Miss Dorothy Fox were on hand to answer questions, and assist in the various activities. They wish to express their thanks and appreciation to all these workers and the others who are working behind the





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scenes to ready the Museum for the summer schedule. John Atkinson, Earl Masterson and Thomas Earle spent the previous Saturday morning in pre-Clean-In assistance.

## Grange

Mattapoisett Junior Grange held its meeting last Friday night with the worthy master, Mark Breton, presiding, and Mrs. Evelyn Linhares as matron. Mrs. Edna Hanford of the State Home and Community Service Committee was an honored guest.

Kathy Buckley, ways and means chairman, reported on the cookie sale held at the last meeting. Danny Allen will take his degrees at the next meeting, April 25th. It was voted to send a donation to the State Grange Crippled Children Fund.

The lecturer's program was in charge of the Home and Community Service Junior Committee, Harlene Fearing and Mary Beth Bre-

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ton. Poems were read by Pat and Kathy Cotter, Mary Beth, Harlene and the lecturer, Mark Harris. Chairman Fearing presented a display of ceramics, explaining the different steps taken, such as baking, glazing, painting, putting in kiln when the chemical reaction changes the colors. It was very interesting and well presented by Harlene.

Punch and cup cakes were served by Mrs. Barber.

#### CARD OF THANKS

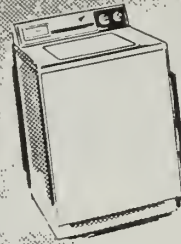
The family of John Raphael wish to extend its thanks to all of the people who sent flowers, cards and expressions of sympathy following the death of Mrs. John Raphael. Mr. Raphael thanks the pallbearers and acting chief Alfred Faria and the Mattapoisett Police Department for courtesy and assistance to the funeral party.

#### GRANGE MEETING

The bi-monthly meeting of the Mattapoisett Grange will be held Thursday night, April 17th, in the Grange Hall. State Deputy John Bower will be present as well as the new members. Mrs. Anna Bradley and Mrs. Isobel Farwell are hostesses.

The Home and Community Service Committee is asking for articles to fill a basket for do-

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Lecturer Ruby Barber is planning a nice program.

## Chief Kinney to be Honored

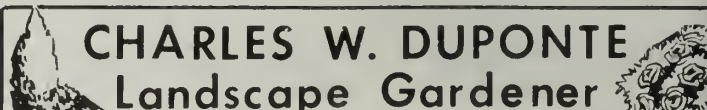
Mattapoisett Police Chief Alden S. Kinney will be honored Sunday evening at Gaudette's Pavilion at 7:00 P.M.

Chief Kinney has served Mattapoisett for over 41 years, of which 32 years have been as Chief. The Chief has seen the police force grown from one man (himself) and a motorcycle to its present strength of 32 men, 2 cruisers and an ambulance.

The Testimonial Committee announced the following guests will be in attendance at the head table: Mrs. John J. (Jack) Ward, master of ceremonies; the Honorable Allan M. Hale, Associate Justice, Superior Court of Mass.; The Honorable James J. Bento, Justice, 4th District Court of Plymouth County; Mr. J. Richard Early, editor, Standard Times; Captain Charles M. Harrington, supervisor, Photography and Fingerprinting, Mass. State Police; District Attorney Robert L. Anderson, District Attorney, Plymouth County; Mr. David N. Haley, chairman Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen; State Senator Allan F. Jones; and Special Assistant Attorney General Christopher Byron.

It is only fitting that a tribute such as this be given to such a dedicated public official, because Mattapoisett has one of the finest Police Departments in the area.

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The Mattapoisett Little League Baseball season got underway Saturday with 66 candidates vying for 22 berths on the four existing Little League teams. The following is a list of the Little League rosters: Blue Jays, Bill Hubbard, manager; Bob Lawrence and Paul Lambalat, coaches; Alan Marcoux, John Thompson, Andrew Davidson, Steven Ennis, Bruce Klinka, Andrew Bills, Bruce Paim, John Silveira, Bob Schneider, Alfred Peccini, Norman Medeiros, Robert German, William Hubbard, Jr., Mike Camara and Robert Kelsey; Greens, Bronc Caswell, manager; Walt Du Pont and Jerry Parry, coaches; Paul Du Pont, scorer; Joe Carson, John Hinman, Steve Fluegal, Marc Du Pont, Mike Cooper, Wayne Caswell, Jim Hoff, Brian Klinka, Dan

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The other boys trying out that are not listed will be on the minor and pee wee teams and will be notified when to report at a later date. The practice schedule for the teams is as follows: Blue Jays, 10:00 A.M. Saturday, April 19th; Jets, 11:30 A.M. Saturday, April 19th; Greens, 1:00 P.M., Saturday, April 19th; and Reds, 2:30 P.M. Saturday, April 19th. All practices will be held at Center School.

#### A THANK YOU

I would like to thank my many friends for their gifts, cards, visits and donations of blood. While I will be in Union Hospital for a few more weeks, I am now off the critical list and able to extend my gratitude. Thanks, too, for the kindnesses shown my wife, also a patient at the hospital.

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#### Jr. Band to Tour

The Junior Band of Old Rochester Regional will make a Spring tour of the elementary schools of Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester, beginning early in May.

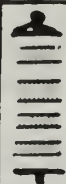
The band, newly organized this year, is comprised entirely of students in grades seven and eight with a roster of forty-two up and coming musicians.

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Members of Mattapoi-sett Grange will conduct a rummage sale Saturday, April 19th, from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. in the Grange hall. The door will open at 9 A.M.

#### POLIO CLINIC

The second of a series of 3 oral Polio Clinics will be held at the Mattapoisett Town Hall on Thursday, April 24th, from 9:30 A.M. to 11:30 A.M.

#### BOWLING BANQUET

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| 18    | 8:46  | 9:04  | 2:28 | 2:10 |
| 19    | 9:22  | 9:46  | 2:58 | 2:46 |
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| 21    | 10:52 | 11:10 | 4:04 | 3:52 |
| 22    | 11:46 | 12:04 | 4:40 | 4:34 |

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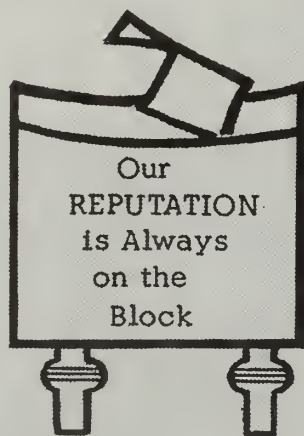
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